(ख) उनकी क्षमता बढ़ाने के लिए सरकार ने क्या कदम उठाए हैं; और

(ग) क्या सरकार का दुग्ध केन्द्र स्थापित करने का विचार है ?

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री के० पी० लेंबा) : (क) इस समय राज्य में 15 डेरी संयंत्र और 38 प्रशीतन केन्द्र कार्य कर रहे हैं ।

(ख) डेरी संयंत्रों की क्षमता बढ़ाने के लिए सरकार ने राज्य सरकारों को अभी तक कोई बजटीय सहायता प्रदान नहीं की है ।

(ग) सरकार ऐसे किसी प्रस्ताव पर विचार नहीं कर रही है ।

Allocation of Wheat and Rice for Gujarat

2461. SHRI VITHAL BHAI M. PATEL :
SHRI CHOTTU BHAI PATEL :

Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government of Gujarat has demanded from the Central Government Foodgrains for the year 1992-93 ;

(b) if so, what is the demand of the State Government and whether the Chief Minister of Gujarat has requested for enhancement of allocation of wheat and rice for the State; and

(c) what is the reaction of the Government of India in regard thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED) : (a) to (c) The Chief Minister of Gujarat had written in April, 1992 to step up the allocation of wheat from the Central Pool to one lakh tonnes per month. Keeping in view the stock position of wheat in the Central Pool and other related factors the allocation of wheat to the State has been increased from 60,000 tonnes in April, 1992 to 65,000 tonnes per month from May, 1992.

Sugar-cane processed by Sugar Mill

2462. SHRI SOM PAL :
DR. NAUNIHAL SINGH:

Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state :

(a) what is the break-up of acreage and production of sugar-cane in various states of India ;

(b) what is the statewise percentage of sugarcane processed by sugar mills;

(c) what is the difference between the recovery percentage obtained by the sugar mills and Khandsari and Jaggery Units ;

(d) whether it is a fact that there is lot of wastage because of low recovery in Khandsari and Jaggery Units and also because of non-utilisation of the by-products and wastes generated by this conventional industry ; and

(e) what steps Government propose to take to stop this huge national wastage ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PBULIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED) : (a) The Statewise area under sugarcane and its production during the 1990-91